

School Advisory Council Annual Report – June 2023

School Elizabeth Sutherland

Please list SAC members including names, membership type (i.e., parent, community member, staff), and role (i.e., Chair, Vice Chair).

Liz Struijf-Mondishora – Parent – Chair

Jen Coombs – Parent

Bonnie McNeill – Parent

Liz Sequeria – Parent

Michelle Cormier – Parent

Kate Casey – Parent

Bruce Holland – Community Member

Richard Michaud – Teacher Mike Murray – Teacher

Craig Nelson – Vice Principal Sara Walker – Principal

Three student members

Please describe a summary of work undertaken by the SAC to improve student achievement and school performance.

- We reviewed and answered questions about the Student Success Survey and discussed how the data is used at the school.
- Each meeting we discussed our SSP work including recent assessment data and strategies we are using to support the students who are not yet meeting benchmarks.
- We shared information about staff involvement in various professional development and coaching opportunities and how this work supports student success.
- Last year, SAC funds were used to purchase technology to support our growing student population.

• Student members would share information from their perspective about various school related topics including the importance of sports and music programs etc.

Please list any significant milestones and success stories that the SAC would like to highlight.

- Although not a milestone, we reviewed the EECD and HRCE policies and how they are implemented at the school. Of particular focus was the finance policy including the move to online purchasing using SchoolCash as well as the Food and Nutrition policy.
- We often talked about how our school's population growth is changing how we do things at the school such as community events and concerts. This will continue to be a conversation next year.
- With the announcement of an 8-class modular being built onsite, discussing the progress was a regular agenda item.

Please describe any related sub-committee work undertaken by SAC members (e.g., School Options Committee).

Although some of our SAC members are also members of our PTA, we do not have any specific sub-committees of our SAC.

Statements of Revenues and Expenditures:

Expenditures supporting the school improvement plan (e.g., providing resources to support math and literacy instruction).

Opening Balance = \$5539.00

2 Wipebook Tablets (10 sheets per tablet) = \$165.65 11 Chromebooks (\$412.00 each plus tax) = \$5211.80

Balance Remaining = \$161.55

Expenditures supporting policy development and implementation (e.g., supporting and promoting new policies).

N/A

Expenditures covering operational expenses; up to 20 per cent of provincial SAC funding may be used as operational expenses, if necessary, to encourage and support member participation)

N/A